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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Docket No.
2091-0238P

Application No.
09/837,171-Conf. #8420

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Examiner
K. M. Gagliostro

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2615

Applicant(s): Nobuyoshi NAKAJIMA et al.

Invention: IMAGING DEVICE FOR IMAGING BASED UPON A REFERENCE COMPOSITION FOR A
SUBJECT (AS AMENDED)

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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May 16, 2005
(Monday)

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 14, 2004, the period for response having been extended two (2) months to May 14, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This reply includes:

Amendments to the Specification;
Claim Set as Amended; and
Remarks.